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Vine Boosted As City's Big Asset

McGroarty Tells Hearers This Is Best Known Small Town On The Coast

A group of celebrities gathered at Wistaria Vine Gardens Sunday evening to hear Theodore Payne, John Steven McGroarty, Dr. J. D. Lux of Monrovia, Lee Shippey, Mrs. S. A. Guiberson, State president of California Gardens, Inc., and others to do honor to the Matilija Poppy as Queen of California wild flowers. About one hundred guests sat down in the amply dining room of the Wistaria pavilion at one of the most brilliant affairs ever held in the Gardens.

Keynote of the evening, however, turned out to be not so much a tribute to the famous Matilija as it was to Sierra Madre's even more famous Wistaria.

Congressman McGroarty, just home from Washington, said that throughout the East—and wherever in fact he had gone—Sierra Madre was the best known small town in our Western world—all on account of the celebrated vine and the publicity it has received within the last year or so because of the brilliant festivals Mrs. Lawless has organized.

Even as a prophet in his own country may be without honor, Mr. McGroarty said, so it seemed to be with the Vine and its sponsor. It seemed incredible to him, he continued, that there should be any resident of Sierra Madre who could be otherwise than proud of the Vine and grateful to the citizens of Sierra Madre who had been so generous in the Vine's preservation. He was warmly applauded by everyone present.

Lee Shippey, who introduced the congressman, had also been applauded when he made some similar allusion to the vine, which he said is manifestly an asset not only to Sierra Madre and its residents but to Southern California generally.

Theodore Payne, the state's largest wildflower seed producer, spoke on the tradition of the Matilija poppy, discussed the origin of its botanical name and the vagaries of its propagation. Mr. Payne stated the flower grows much more freely planted from seed in northern California than in this section of the state. The California Garden Clubs have sponsored the idea of conserving the Matilija Poppy in the Ojai valley, where quantities have been destroyed. One of the peculiarities of the flower is the difficulty with which it is transplanted.

Packages of the poppy seeds were distributed among the guests through the courtesy of Mrs. S. A. Guiberson, State president of the California Garden Clubs, Inc.

Miss Marion Smithson, a noted violinist from Beverly Hills, accompanied by Raymond McFeevers, Pasadena, furnished several solos.

Democrats Set July 19 For Opening Of Local Campaign

Mrs. Grace B. Caukin, president of the Democratic Club of the 48th assembly district, has called a meeting of the club officers to arrange for a big rally and box picnic to be held in the Altadena recreation center July 13, at which the Democrats will open their campaign in the 48th assembly and the 11th congressional districts.

MAN 92 CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY INDULGING ALL WHIMS ON WEEKEND PARTY IN L. A.

A family friendship that has lasted 70 years was renewed yesterday when M. N. Silverberg of Los Angeles arrived at the unique D. A. Hauk home, 682 Brookside Lane, and took the Hawks away on a weekend party. The occasion was the 92nd birthday of Mr. Hauk and by way of celebrating this happy event Mr. Silverberg carried Mr. and Mrs. Hauk to his Los Angeles home to remain until Sunday.

Seventy years ago Mr. Silverberg's father and Mr. Hauk were business associates in a jewelry store in Rochester, Ind. Through the years young Mr. Silverberg has kept in close touch with his father's old friend.

The Hawks are treated like visiting royalty in the Los Angeles home. Following the finest birthday dinner imaginable they were taken to visit their old friends and go any place they wished, do anything they desired, in fact, spent just the sort of a day mothers and fathers deserve, but so seldom experience.

Today the Hawks are guests, together with six relatives of the Silverbergs from New York, at another dinner party.

Last week a pre-birthday party was held for the gentleman who can tell so many interesting stories about the affairs of the country back in Lincoln's time,

Record Crowd At Chess Carnival

Forty-Three Cities Represented By Contestants Who Play Till Midnight

Approaching midnight failed to daunt the array of chess players who took advantage of the annual Murphy Day carnival held Saturday at the City Park to try their skill.

The carnival brought a near-record crowd of visiting players who registered from 43 communities within a radius of about sixty miles, except for Santa Maria which now becomes the most distant city from which players have come especially for this meeting.

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City contributes Over \$150 To War Victims In China

Sierra Madre, with the help of some of its generous neighbors, made a record in its contribution toward relief of Chinese civilians at the recent Bowl of Rice party in the Woman's Club.

Altogether the sum realized will be well over \$150, far beyond the sum expected and also far beyond the quota attributed to towns of this size. The contribution may make a record for the country as a whole. Arcadia's party netted only \$80.

There were two sources of revenue for the total sum. One of these was the dinner and entertainment. This realized \$85.85. The other source was the free-offering contributed to the boxes put in various public places by the committee. The boxes contributed the surprising sum of \$80.78.

Arts Guild To Hold First Meeting This Evening

A meeting of the community committee of the Boy Scouts will be held July 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the City Hall. All chairmen of the various community committees are expected to be present and give their quarterly reports.

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Citizens Show Interest In Primaries

Sierra Madreans are beginning to take an interest in the approaching primary election. There were many inquiries by local citizens at the city hall this week to ascertain whether or not their names were on the registration lists and whether it would be necessary for them to re-register in order to vote at the August primary election. Several who had moved since the last election were re-registered. Several others changed their party affiliation.

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Importance Of Election Stressed

Plea Made For Alliance Of Forces To Uphold Constitutional Government

A group of Sierra Madreans attended a largely attended dinner meeting at Altadena Golf clubhouse Tuesday evening and heard two Republican candidates in this district declare that unless the American people, regardless of party, wage an immediate battle for return to fundamentals on which the country was founded, democracy will fade out as it has in nations overseas.

Carl Hinshaw, candidate for the Republican congressional nomination, T. Fenton Knight, candidate for the assembly, and George A. Newell, Jr., president of the California State Republican Assembly, spoke.

Necessity of increased Republican registrations was the keynote of Mr. Hinshaw's address.

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Fourth Crowd Going To New Park

With Firecrackers Taboo Here, Populace To Join In Big Arcadia Blowout

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Legion Commander To Dedicate New Memorial Park

Joseph Long of Riverside, state Legion commander, will be present at Charlton Flats, July 10, for the dedication ceremonies of the Legion's new memorial park.

Camping and picnicking facilities are in excellent shape, and the event will be in the form of an all-day picnic. The plan is to have a noon lunch at Charlton Flats, where the forest service has sanitary facilities, a water supply, picnic tables and stoves to accommodate the crowd expected. Those who plan to attend will meet where Angeles Crest highway meets Foothill Blvd. in La Canada at 9 o'clock in the morning.

The entire fire department has agreed to remain in the city throughout the day and evening in case of emergency. The firemen will enjoy a picnic in the garden of Fire Chief Richards home with a detail always on hand at the fire station.

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Camper Dies In His Sleep At Fern Lodge

Eight enrollees at the Monrovia CCC camp hiked four miles into big Santa Anita Canyon Sunday to carry out the body of George Sundling, 50, of Long Beach, who apparently died of a heart attack in his sleep in his cabin at Ben Hosford's Fern Lodge camp. Mr. Sundling had been a cabin tenant for four months. He was a native of Boston. During the World War he enlisted with the Canadian army. The public, as well as Legionnaires and their families, is invited to attend. All who join by today will be charter members.

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Glendora's Valley League Team Here For Game Tonight

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Billy Dyche, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dyche of the Sierra Madre Drug Company, will spend the next week with friends in Santa Ana.



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Ladies Night Party Of Kiwanis Club Is Real Event

The Kiwanis Club ladies' night held at the Waverly Pratt home at 351 North Grove street, Monday evening was a gala affair. Forty people gathered to participate in the Kiwanis fellowship hour which was celebrated by Kiwanis clubs all over the United States and Canada.

A committee composed of Frank Spencer, Waverly Pratt and Clarence Huntsinger prepared the tables for the buffet dinner and William Burt fried the steaks. Harry Lange, vice-president, presided over the meeting in the absence of the president who is attending the Kiwanis convention at San Francisco.

After dinner the group listened to the Kiwanis fellowship program over the air. Rev. A. O. Pritchard presented the charge to the Kiwanians in the form of a short talk on the ideals of the club and what it means in each community.

Following this 15 minute program, the evening was spent in entertainment of various kinds. The gardens of the Pratt home were turned over to the guests who played badminton, ping pong, croquet and pitched horseshoes. Other guests danced, and those not as energetic, played bridge.

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ALTAR SOCIETY TO HOLD GARDEN CARD PARTY

Another delightful garden card party and luncheon will be given by St. Rita's Altar Society, Tuesday, July 12th at 12:30 p.m. The July party will be held at 181 East Grand View.

Bridge, both contract and auction, and 500 will be played, with prizes for each table. The public is cordially invited and reservations may be made by calling 43.

WEDDING OF MISS MARY PENN SET FOR JULY 20

The approaching marriage of Miss Mary Penn and Robert W. Mitchell, formerly of Sierra Madre, now of Pasadena, has just been announced. The wedding will take place at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, July 20 at the Pasadena Wedding Chapel.

Miss Penn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Penn, 41 South Baldwin avenue, has chosen her sister Betty, to attend as maid-of-honor. Jane Mitchell and Mrs. Lucille Penn will be bridesmaids. Raymond Penn will serve as best man, and Ralph Penn and Carl Rung, ushers. Mr. Penn will give his daughter in marriage.

GENE KEABLES AND MISS MYRA HIGLEY SOON TO WED

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Higley of Pasadena announce the engagement of their daughter, Myra, to Eugene Keables, son of Mrs. Alyce C. Anderson. The wedding will take place early in August.

Both Miss Higley and Mr. Keables are graduates of the upper division of the Pasadena Junior College and Mr. Keables is a graduate of the Polytechnic High School at Long Beach. Miss Higley is well known in Sierra Madre and has many friends here.

GARDEN PARTY NEXT ON EASTERN STAR CALENDAR

The Sierra Madre OES held its regular monthly meeting at the Masonic Temple Monday noon. Luncheon preceded the business meeting. In charge of arrangements were Alice Hogan, Beulah Davis and Elizabeth Suter.

The next meeting of the group will be held in the gardens of the W. H. Hopper home at 317 North Auburn avenue, Monday, July 18.

NEW HOLLYWOOD CUSTOM AT STORK SHOWER

Following a new custom of the Hollywood movie colony, Russell Garland, Jr., formerly of this city, was guest of honor at a stork shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris of Claremont last week. Ladies of the party were entertained at the home of Mrs. Goldie Morris in Claremont. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Garland, Sr., and son Lawrence of Sierra Madre were in the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland, Jr., who now live in San Gabriel, are well known in Sierra Madre and have many friends here.

RECENT BRIDE HONORED BY LONG TIME FRIENDS

A miscellaneous wedding shower in honor of Mrs. Jack Kohl (Naomi Gomes) was given by Miss Evelyn Solury at the home of the honoree, 58 East Sierra Madre Blvd., June 29 at 8 o'clock. Many lovely gifts were received by Mrs. Kohl. The evening was spent playing games and refreshments were served.

Guests at the party included Mrs. Fred Scalzo, Mrs. Thomas Solury, Mrs. Joe Scalzo, Miss Ruth Klunk, Misses Alice and Frances LaLone, Miss Adele Doty, Mrs. Lyle McElwain, from Sierra Madre; Mrs. Pete Miller, Mrs. Hazel Griffin, Mrs. Russell, Miss Lois Russell; Mrs. Frances Mantaya, of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Ray Gomes of Pasadena.

ILLINOIS VISITORS ARE ENTERTAINED

A barbecue in the patio of the A. J. Barkman home at 40 South Michillinda Blvd., was the wind-up of a busy day's entertainment honoring Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kramer, aunt and uncle of Mrs. Barkman, who are visitors from Rock Island, Ill., last Thursday.

The guests were taken for a tour of Hollywood and Glendale during the day. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hepp of San Gabriel, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Kramer, were also dinner guests. Friday the Illinois visitors went

sight-seeing with the Barkmans around the Arrowhead and Big Bear Lake country.

SOCIAL NOTES

Miss Janet Fowler Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan H. Lewis, 661 West Orange Grove avenue, left via the Santa Fe railroad Tuesday, for New Brighton, Staten Island, N.Y., where she will visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Sheridan. Shortly before train time Miss Lewis gave a farewell party for 12 of her friends at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer M. Weese will entertain at a Fourth of July dinner at their home, having among their guests Miss Pauline Smith and Mr. Charles Jackson of Los Angeles.

Miss Orline Burrow, of 500 North Adams street, had supper at Padua Hills Sunday evening at a table hosted by Dr. Ernest Thomas Fox of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griebelow will entertain at a Fourth of July dinner at their home Monday evening. Their guests will be Dean and Mrs. Arnold Bode, Burbank and Margaret Bode, Dr. Arnold Bode of Los Angeles, and Dr. John Maxon of the geology department of CalTech. Dr. Maxon has recently returned from a two-year exploration in eastern Turkey.

Mr. A. F. Snell of 419 East Highland avenue entertained with a dinner party at her home last Tuesday night, having as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williams and son Mr. Robert Williams of Pasadena.

Miss Laura Estelle Cadmus of 601 Woodland Drive was guest artist at a formal musical last Friday night at the home of Mrs. Fern Burford in Pasadena. She sang several numbers accompanied by Mrs. Genevieve Cross, pianist of Montebello, and the beautiful Ava Marin by Schubert, a violinist of Sierra Madre playing a violin obligato.

John Senour of East Grand View avenue ushered at the wedding of Miss Grace Smith and Daniel Fleming Jr. at the Holliston Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church last Wednesday night. Mr. Senour is a close friend of the groom who has many friends in Sierra Madre.

Mr. and Mrs. Rene Gaubert of Oakland were entertained at the Wisteria Vine Gardens June 22, by the S. C. Combines, 521 Alta Vista Drive. Last Saturday, in honor of their Milwaukee friends, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Faulkner, the Combines were hosts at the Los Serrano Country Club. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Stoltz, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hazzard, from Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and daughters, Wilma and Dorothy, attended the 49th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Terwilliger, which was celebrated by 13 people at 1008 Palm Terrace, Pasadena, June 26.

Mrs. Julia Shannon and Mrs. Woodson Jones entertained 32 friends at a bridge luncheon at the Ranch House Wednesday.

Mrs. Marie Keating entertained with a bridge party at her home last Thursday evening. Her guests included Miss Angie Per Lee, Miss Muriel Tarr, Miss Mary Frances Brain, Mrs. Lyle McElwain, Mrs. Mary Schwartz, Mrs. Gretta Patterson and Miss Madeline Loomis of Monrovia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Webster of 121 East Alegria avenue entertained last Wednesday night at an informal dinner party honoring Mr. and Mrs. David Andrews of Spokane, Washington, who are their house guests this week.

Officers of Sierra Madre's Eastern Star Chapter were guests of the Arcadia Chapter Monday evening, at the annual courtesy night event of these two cities, officers of the local chapter filling the chairs at the regular meeting of the Arcadia chapter.

GIRL SCOUT TROOPS ELECT OFFICERS

New officers elected at the June 25 meeting of the Girl Scouts are Dorothy Parmenter, patrol leader of the Lone Pine troop; Juanita Thompson, patrol second. The Whippoorwill troop elected Dorothy Smith patrol leader and Wilma Smith, patrol second. The troop scribe will be Priscilla Gordeau; treasurer, Betty Tarr; historian, Ruth Coit; corresponding secretary, Marjorie Pickett, and chairman of the calling committee, Gene Thayer.

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Junior Women Plan "Cord And Cotton" Dance July 23

The last Junior Woman's Club meeting for the season was held in the clubrooms June 23. The philanthropy chairman, Elizabeth Prichard, reported on the project undertaken by the group, to send one girl scout to the summer camp at Big Bear, paying her expenses for a week.

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SIERRA MADRE NEWS

Noted Woman Is Called By Death

Last Wish Of Mrs. May Stanley Mason Respected Following Her Funeral

May Stanley Mason, 48, of 91 East Laurel avenue, prominent clubwoman, civic leader and writer, died early Monday morning at St. Luke's hospital. In accordance with her last wish she was buried in Azusa cemetery Wednesday near the graves of Keith and Paul Thompson, young sons of Mr. and Mrs. Barclay Thompson, killed in a train wreck last fall. She was a life-long friend of the Thompsons and the tragic death of the boys, of whom she was very fond, touched her deeply.

Mrs. Mason, wife of Elmer B. Mason, former editor of Vanity Fair, was born in the state of Washington and began her newspaper career in Duluth. After working on New York papers she became music critic and writer for "Musical America." Her novel, "Blue Meadow," which appeared serially in Pictorial Review, short stories and poems won for her a place in the literary world.

She came to California with her husband five years ago and to this city three years ago. She was an active participant in civic and club life and recently served as chairman of the literary section of the Sierra Madre Woman's club.

In 1927 she won distinction when Frederick O'Brien, authority on the short story, included one of her stories in his nominations for one of the best of that year. She was also listed in Isaac Rosenthal's "Ladies of the Press" for her outstanding achievements as a newspaper woman.

Mrs. Mason's sensitive interpretation of New England fisherfolk, among whom she resided for long periods, won great acclaim, and was the subject of many of her short stories.

She had not been in good health for more than a year. Two months ago she was obliged to give up all her activities and three weeks ago was removed to the hospital.

The writer is survived by her husband and a nephew in Winnipeg, Canada. Canon E. B. Smith of Monrovia officiated at the funeral services held at White's Funeral Home, Azusa.

HUNTINGTON LIBRARY CLOSED JULY 3

The exhibitions of the Henry E. Huntington Library and Art Gallery will be closed Sunday, July 3 and on Monday, July 4. When the reopen next Tuesday they will be open every weekday afternoon (except Monday) and on every Sunday afternoon in July and August. Admission can now be arranged by telephoning the Exhibitions Office as late as the morning of the visiting day.

FIREMEN RUSHED TO ARCADIA CITY LINE

A brush fire at the corner of Monte Vista and Orange Grove avenues, Arcadia, called the Sierra fire department last week. The land was blackened by the fire which burned itself out, but the property was protected by the huge fire break about the boundaries.

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FIND FISH APLENTY AT BIG BEAR LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robertson and family and Gloria Dougherty, a friend of daughter Frances, have returned from a delightful trip to Big Bear Lake. The party spent the greatest part of their vacation fishing, catching 42 black bass and trout.

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He has represented the United States in this official capacity by appointment of Presidents Wilson, Hoover and Roosevelt.

A native of Tennessee, he engaged in banking in Cuba as a young man, and first came into active public service during the World War. He formerly made his home in New York, but since assuming his new post with the Red Cross has bought an historic residence in Alexandria, Virginia, across the Potomac from the nation's capital.

SIERRA MADREAN SEES JOE LOUIS WIN

Sierra Madre had at least one representative in the Yankee stadium when Joe Louis slammed Max Schmeling into oblivion. John P. Schaefer of East Alegria avenue, who has been vacationing at his old home in New York, spent ten days before the battle at Schmeling's training camp at Speculator, New York. "All the speculators in Speculator are speculating on the result of the fight," Schaeffer postcarded local friends before the fight. He was

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Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Combe, 521 Alta Vista Drive, left Wednesday afternoon for San Francisco and northern California, where they will visit for a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Senour enjoyed a trip to Riverside and extended vicinity last Sunday.

Miss Pearl Smith and her sister, Miss A. Felt of 280 Hacienda Drive, Santa Anita Oaks, have as their house guest this week, Miss Eva Davis of Oakland.

Stewart Carnall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Carnall of 252 Arbolada Drive, Santa Anita Oaks,

has returned from a ten-day vacation at the Hamilton Beach camp for boys at Balboa.

Mr. W. A. Gerry of 146 South Hermosa, enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Daniel Prigmore of Huntingdon Park, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Waddell Jr., of 50 East Alegria are leaving today for Glacier Lodge in the High Sierras on an extended vacation and fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rogers of 225 Churchill Road have returned from a journey to San Francisco and Ben Lomond, where they spent several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk C. Dunbar of 646 West Highland avenue, journeyed last week to Yosemite and San Luis Obispo where they met and returned with Dr. and Mrs. P. F. Schneider of Evanston, Ill., who will be their house guests for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Perrine of 1437 Caballero Road, Santa Anita Oaks, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harold Spaulding and daughter Mary of Pasadena at their home on Sunday. This week they have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Farrand of Denver, Col.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie D. Knablaugh of 275 Hacienda Drive, Santa Anita Oaks, have as their house guests for several weeks, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Kauffman of Toledo, Ohio. Next week they will welcome Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Knablaugh also of Toledo. Mr. R. R. Knablaugh and Mrs. Kauffman are brother and sister of Leslie D. Knablaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Barrett left last week for a business pleasure trip to San Francisco. They will visit friends in Menlo Park.

Lucia Trent Cheyney and Ralph Cheyney were honored guests with Helen Rico, KFAC, radio artist at the Exposition Park Woman's Club in Los Angeles, June 23, presenting their "Dreamer's House" recital.

Mrs. Charles M. Hamilton of 582 West Grand View avenue will have as her house guests over the weekend Mrs. Gertrude Light and daughter, Maretta of Elizabeth, N.J.

Mrs. Viola P. Amidon of Montpelier, Ohio, was guest of Mrs. J. Andrew Hall of 611 East Grand View avenue this week.

Blythe Foote, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Foote has returned from the La Reew School for Girls in Azusa, and will be at home with her parents during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker of 1225 Rancho Road, Santa Anita Oaks, left Saturday for Seattle, Wash., where they will embark for Alaska July 2 on a summer cruise.

Mrs. Theodore J. Brodhead of 261 Arbolada Drive, Santa Anita Oaks, is enjoying a summer visit from her sister, Mrs. Russell Davis, of Visalia.

Two Sierra Madreans, Mrs. E. D. Burbank, 42 East Carter avenue, and Mrs. R. S. Corlett, 65

Sierra Madrean Walks Streets Trod By Pilgrim Fathers; Meets Former Residents; Thrills Teachers

Mrs. Eva Moore of 71 Victoria Lane returned from her thrilling transcontinental trip in time to be luncheon hostess again this year to the faculty of the Sierra Madre school.

Mrs. Moore's trip was replete with interest, and kept the ball of conversation rolling furiously. She spent the first two months in Cincinnati with her sister, Mrs. Ella D. Moxey, going from that point to noted shrines. Among them was the "Eliza" house of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in which she beheld with her own eyes, the small hole through which the slaves had crawled in their escape from Kentucky. Ohio has purchased this ten-acre estate as a memorial. She told of the underground railway, and of seeing the birthplace of General U. S. Grant, of the bluegrass farms of Kentucky, of going to Syracuse and being the guest of Miss Mabel Rhoades, a cousin of William Laurel Rhoades of Sierra Madre; a side trip to West Point with Mrs. Ellen Barker Pagan (former school nurse here) and her husband; and of Mrs. Ellen sending greetings back to Sierra Madre.

She told in detail of the region studied by her former pupils—New England. From the home of her niece in Woodbury, Conn., she went to Provincetown on the tip of Cape Cod, and then on to Plymouth, where she experienced a feeling of awe in walking down the same street the Pilgrim fathers trod, and in drinking from the same spring from which they

drank. She was a guest at the memory-filled "Plymouth Rock Hotel," one-half of which was built in 1734.

Another interesting fact she related to her listeners was the capture and trial of the man who painted Plymouth Rock red just two weeks before she reached Plymouth.

Washington, D.C., Mt. Vernon, the Lincoln Memorial, and all of the big spots in the capitol city were visited, including the White House, and the Senate and the House in session.

Among those who enjoyed the foregoing and the daintily-prepared luncheon were Miss Elizabeth Steinberger and 13 teachers, all of whom discussed their summer plans.

Muriel Tarr, Jane McElwain, Angie PerLee, Mary Frances Brain and Mary Schwartz were San Diego visitors on Sunday.

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Last week Dorothy Walsworth went to Camp Marston in San Diego county, near Julian. This week Genelle Paschall, Carole Coumbe and Claude Allen are attending the camp in Kern country, near the San Bernardino mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weese of 358 North Canon will be guests at the beach home of Mrs. Harriet Hammil in Santa Monica on Sunday.

**CIVIL WAR VETERAN
GOES TO REST HOME**

E. J. Webster of East Algeria avenue, Sierra Madre's only surviving Civil War veteran, is now at the H. B. Bowling rest home at 702 East Foothill Blvd., Monrovia. Rev. A. O. Pritchard, who visited him yesterday, reported him cheerful, doing nicely and anxious to see his Sierra Madre friends.

Tea was served Sunday from 2:30 to 7 p.m. at A. J. Dewey's Adobe studio, 35 East Montecito avenue, by the Arts Guild, which presented an exhibition of outstanding California photographs by R. F. McGraw of N. Hermosa avenue. The exhibit will continue for a week. The pictures have just returned from exhibitions throughout the East.

**What A Girl Sees
Ramblin' 'Round**

JUNE'S foggy weather, which so many people have emphatically assured us is most unusual, is quite a regular climatic event, Miss Edith Rankin declares. It's because we forget so readily what happens from year to year that the ordinary takes on such a novel aspect . . . Can you, without taxing your brain too heavily, remember what you did over the Fourth last year? It took us a good five minutes and even now we darkly suspect we are recollecting Labor Day.

We had occasion to visit the Norman Chandler home recently . . . an attractive, low rambling ranch-house with a curving sweep of driveway leading up to it from Orange Grove avenue . . . that lies across a lawn thickly strewn with wild-flowers . . . At the right of the driveway as you enter are kennels with several cute cocker spaniels and a yippy little dachshund importantly trying to announce you . . . Mrs. Chandler is attractive and young with a nice smile . . . Speaking of homes and gardens brings to mind that one Sierra Madre garden sports a stuffed armadillo . . . We thought we were seeing things when we saw him standing so silently in the garden which is further enhanced by tiny houses and things scattered about . . .

From the John O'London Club to a horned toad derby is a long way but we traveled it . . . in one day . . . Arcadians threw a horned toad battle and tortoise race at Santa Anita club house . . . and never did we know that sleepy, ugly (but fascinating) horned toads could move so quickly . . . and a photo-finish should have been made for the toads streaked through the numbered gates so fast no eye could follow . . . We held a horned-toad in our hand and scratched his ears—or the equivalent . . . and he shut his eyes so confidently and opened his queer little mouth . . . that we fell in love with him . . . and tried to sneak him into our pocket . . . when the hard-hearted master of ceremonies . . . took him away and threw him heartlessly in a big box with about a hundred others . . . such meanness! We tried to buy him . . . but nothing doing . . . they wouldn't sell him. However, its for the best as we had a difficult time with our mother the last time we brought home a pet . . . a cute little kitten . . . and imagine her horrors at having a horned toad around the house . . .

A tiny two-year-old cherub with dusky skin and black pig-tails tied with frivolous red ribbons, clinging tightly to her mother's hand, passed our window. The world must be an utterly grand place to two-year-olds to bring such an expression of pleasure to shining brown eyes . . .

There is something about the window of a used furniture shop that appeals to us. Take the O. E. Pettit store for example. From whose cupboard did the broken set of blue and white china come? Why was it sold?

Then there are the ornately carved chairs of another century guarding a mirror that could probably tell many a fantastic tale if it were to speak. New furniture is like a book with uncut pages—all there ready to be made use of. Old furniture is like a copy of Alice in Wonderland in a book loving home. Every sticky page, dog-eared and soiled, tells a story.

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**STATUS OF MONROVIA
CCC CAMP IN DOUBT**

The Monrovia Canyon CCC camp has received orders to disband July 5. It was indicated, however, that the camp might be ordered continued with new enrollees. The present group of 200 from Texas and Oklahoma will be transferred to Dallas, Tex., to await further orders.

FIRE FLAMES

By One of the Boys

LOUD back-firing of the big fire truck could be heard all over the city during our fire drill Friday. When "Shorty" Steinberger tried to eliminate the noise by experimenting with the switches, he accidentally (?) threw the siren into action, causing more noise. "Shorty" denied stoutly any evil intention, but all who were unfortunate enough to be riding on the front end of the truck had to pay fines. It is against the rules to sound the siren when not going to a fire.

At our meeting later many preparations were made for the firemen's picnic to be held at the home of Chief Richards on the Fourth. Many visitors who were present took quite an interest in this picnic and paid fines that were placed in the "cuss can." Expenses of the picnic will be paid out of the accumulation of fines for saying things that are considered improper during the regular meetings. All firemen will be in Sierra Madre over the "Fourth" and without a doubt, many will be found among the roses and shrubs of the Chief's garden. There is a nice big shade tree there that covers a large space which will be made good use of by Louie Karger and his contributing friends.

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Four rings will be utilized for the circus. The fireworks display this year will present in vivid, colorful fire such thrilling scenes as the Battle of Manila, Yosemite Fire Falls, Niagara Falls, the Liberty Bell and many other scenes and characters.

**JUNIOR CLUB WOMEN
SEE INSTALLATION**

Misses Angie PerLee, Mary Frances Brain, Mrs. Mary Schwartz, Mrs. Myrna Cant and Mrs. J. H. Robertson attended the Junior Presidents' Alumni installation meeting in Los Angeles Monday night. Mrs. Schwartz and Mrs. Cant were guests of this organization, composed of past and present presidents of the Woman's Club Juniors.

Mrs. Homer Sherwood of Monterey Park installed the new officers, after which a drawing was held. Miss Brain found herself the owner of a mirror. Mrs. Robertson was presented with a gift in appreciation of her services as advisor and organizer of the club.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ward, Jr., have as their house guest Mrs. Ward's cousin, Cadet Robert Huntington Proctor who was formerly stationed in Hawaii and is now stationed at San Diego.

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This pearl of eternity is the church or temple of God within thee, the consecrated place of divine worship, where alone thou canst worship God in spirit and in truth.—Wm. Law.

MY COUNTRY

On Fourth of July, most Americans, whether in California, New York, or at some far-flung outpost in Alaska, think a bit about America—think a bit to contemplate: "This is my country!"

Cannon crackers boom; bands play; the young march and the old drift back to stirring yesterdays; there are patriotic services, eloquent speeches, solemn memories. Each man celebrates the day in his own manner, but all true Americans on that day are proud to be Americans.

We listen to the reading of the Declaration of Independence. And the words, if they are more than a Fourth of July ritual—if we have a sudden flash of intuitive understanding—may give us compassion for the oppressed and despots—shackled peoples of other nations. A news-reel unfolds a China in flames, her cities a shambles of violent death and suffering; a Spain torn with civil war—a pawn of covetous neighbors; a Germany and Italy and Russia, with untold millions bowing to the ruthless mandates of power-crazed dictators.

We think again of America. And we pray for a new age of reason, of tolerance, of real patriotism, which, in its finest form, is a decent regard for the welfare of others. We visualize a new Declaration of Independence—a 1938 declaration—that we shall be grateful for liberty, for freedom of worship and freedom of action; that we shall be equal to the heritage given us and shall learn to live together without too much of rancor, without too much of selfishness and greed. We want a new declaration of faith in America—of confidence in each other. We want to work—and work in harmony—so that we may have the security which comes from a people pulling together. We want independence—economic independence—and we want to see America at work, seeking to achieve it!

TAKE TOP HONORS

As the depth of a lake is measured by sounding gear, so business conditions are gauged by the percentage of tax delinquency. On this score, California is taking top honors, coming out first in a field of 48. Of the nation's eight cities having the lowest rate of tax delinquency, five were California municipalities, announces the current issue of Dun's Magazine. Whereas the average rate of non-payment of taxes among 150 representative American cities last year was 11.3 per cent, in the honor-roll municipalities of San Jose, San Francisco, Oakland, Fresno, and Berkeley, the delinquency rate fell below 3 per cent. Yet even municipal tax returns throughout the nation for 1938, as indicated at this early date, are giving the tax experts—and not the experts only!—a welcome surprise, with collections holding up astonishingly well.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS
THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans, whose birthdays are indicated . . .
Jean Noshier July 4
Lester Bodine July 4
Frank Garber July 5

Case and Comment

By Charles B. Shoualter

(Editor's Note: The opinions expressed herein are those of Mr. Shoualter and do not necessarily reflect the attitude or opinions of THE NEWS.)

MY Country 'tis of thee,
Sweet land of tyranny
Of thee I sing

On this fourth of July we earnestly adjure every American to ask himself the question—Is this to be our song for the future? Would those courageous and far seeing men who knew our country when it was very young put their seal of approval on such a song? Does this country continue to be a "sweet land of liberty," or is it drifting into a more or less hopeless land of tyranny?

The Declaration of Independence is the greatest political document ever written by men. Generations of Americans through a century and a half have imbibed its spirit, making its purposes a part of their innermost being. It has been indeed their Charter of Liberty.

But the declaration itself did not destroy tyranny. It did not guarantee, nor secure, nor perpetuate civil equality and political liberty. No, these blessings of liberty and democracy were the result of courageous service, heroic self-sacrifice, and intelligent devotion to great cause. It was thus a great nation was born. It was thus we became the most prosperous and happy and free people of all the earth. Now, we have fallen on evil ways. We are forgetting and discarding the meaning of the great declaration. We are listening to the siren voices from across the sea, and permitting ourselves to be confused by the blatant demagoguery of false and unworthy leaders on our own shores.

We need a new Declaration of Independence, or a grim and determined re-affirmation of the original of 1776. We must make our choice. Either re-establish and re-affirm our American democracy, or, by default, allow an ambitious leader to make of us a totalitarian state. It cannot be denied that we are moving rapidly in that direction.

The first choice requires effort, courage, idealism and faith. It cannot be had by sitting back and doing nothing while political gunners and gangsters trample over every free nation and dictators unite to enslave the world.

America today is faced with the greatest challenge in her history since the civil war.

Evil propaganda from abroad is being pushed upon us by those at home ambitious for power, and re-inforced by the malcontents in our own ranks, and aliens from dictatorship countries who prowl by and enjoy the hospitality of this land.

And so men and women are dis-satisfied. They know something is wrong, but they don't know what is right—and are, therefore, ready and willing to listen to every demagogue who can promise them some imaginary Utopia.

The task that confronts us on this 162nd birthday of the Republic is to preserve our democracy by opposing every effort to restrict our civil equality and political freedom, here and elsewhere, to remain sane in a hysterical world, human in an era of barbarism, religious in a period of paganism, holding fast to faith while atheism seeks to engulf us.

Of course we do not want war, but let us at least make war on and against ideologies that European nations engender, and place a halt on the infiltration of their poisons that are more deadly than the narcotics we seek to exclude and try to prohibit their distribution to innocent and unsuspecting people. Free America has become appallingly lethargic and apathetic in the matter of preserving her freedom. Folks drift along in varying degrees of comfort, ignoring all danger signals, secure in the belief that it can't happen here. But it can happen here and is now, at this very moment, well under way.

We are now the victims of a tax system so vicious and so burdensome as to make George III look like a penny ante piker. We are dominated politically by the ineffective, the inadequate, the shiftless, the non-producer, the unsuccessful, and the general, all round ne'er-do-well. And if it takes \$5,500,000,000 to buy their votes in 1938, it will require seven to ten billion to repeat the process in 1940. And please don't imagine there is a prospect of many prodigies in California."

The President, in his latest fire-side chat served notice on the nation that he and his advisers are more than ever determined to carry forward to its ultimate and inescapable conclusion, his policy of economic ruin. He also advises the country that he at last has succeeded in bluffing the Supreme Court into rendering decisions along the line of political expediency, instead of in accordance with the Constitution and the law. If this arrangement is to continue in America, then we are no longer free under it but subject to the dictator's

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lars we so readily lent Europe two decades ago!

Mrs. Nellie Leffler, new mayor of El Monte, has taken another political scalp. J. C. Ellis was "fired" from the job as city engineer that he has held for 12 years. Mr. Leffler and two male colleagues promised a "political clean-up" during their campaign in April. Six employees have walked the plank and several jobs have been abolished.

The world's longest fence, which stretches for 152 miles along the Metropolitan Aqueduct, was completed Saturday. Long enough to reach in a straight line from Los Angeles to San Luis Obispo, the fence encloses all open sections of the 392-mile Metropolitan Aqueduct. These sections include 63 miles of open canals and four reservoirs. More than 4,848,000 pounds of steel were required.

The chronic bad boy not only upsets things in the home, but may endanger the existence of the nation as well if he is not curbed. This is an opinion expressed by Dr. Edward W. Twitchell, neuro-psychiatrist in the University of California Medical School, in a recent magazine article. Failure to punish such offenders generally is indicating a looseness in national family cohesion and is therefore a threat to the nation as a whole, he says.

The bonded indebtedness of the governmental units in Los Angeles county amounted to at least \$170.31 on June 30, 1937 for each man, woman and child in the county, according to figures just made public by California Taxpayers' Association. Total bonded indebtedness of the county and political subdivisions amounted to \$434,842,902 as at that date, the latest for which figures are available, and was \$5,050,000 for the county, \$109,420,420 for the school districts, \$47,071,163 for special districts (not all such districts reporting uniformly), and \$272,298,320 for the municipalities.

The figure does not include the county's share of the bonded debt of the State of California or of the Federal government, the State's indebtedness on February 1, 1938, being \$188,526,000, while that of the Federal government is estimated at over \$38,000,000,000—nor many irrigation reclamations, water, etc., districts.

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The WEEKLY CONSTITUTIONAL

by MAX BERN

Age of Jurists

How old are the members of the Supreme Court?

Men selected for this high honor and important position invariably are of ripe experience and outstanding achievement. At their nearest birthdays, Hughes is 75, Brandeis 80, Van Devanter 78, McReynolds 75, Sutherland 75, Butler 71, Cardozo 67, Stone 64, Roberts 62.

In comparison with these, Marshall Foch commanded the Allied Armies at 70; Palmerston was prime minister of England at 81, Gladstone at 83. Bismarck administered German affairs at 74. Adams at 90 and Jefferson at 80 were forces in American affairs. Franklin flew his kite, took part in a balloon ascension and did some of his best work for his country between 70 and 82. Goethe was past 72 when he finished his masterpiece, Faust. Verdi wrote operas at 80; Titian painted when he was 98; and Cervantes finished Don Quixote at 68. Herbert Spencer at

83 and Tolstoi at 74 were literary Titans. Pope Leo directed the Pontificate at 93.

The average age of these men is



80. The average age of the Supreme Court Justices is 72.

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Nice Work If You Can Get A Slice Of That Relief Fund; Distressed Tailor Who Tried It Wants To "Know How"

"It's Easy to Get Government Money," says the caption over a story in the Barstow Review which tells of an interesting experience of a resident of the desert city who applied for a little help out of the billions voted for relief of distressed Americans. The Review story follows:

"William Burget had his cleaning and pressing plant ravaged by the flood in March. A small sum was needed to place his plant in operation again, and representatives of the Disaster Loan Corporation assured Billie a nominal loan of \$200 would be forthcoming in a few days."

"Billie religiously filled out forms—scores of them. This kept up week after week. In the meantime money was needed for utility and other bills and a few dollars to start operations again. The local bank made an emergency loan of \$100, which prevented him from closing down entirely."

"More Federal representatives came here, more forms were filled out. Judge Henderson and others took time to fill out and then fill out again more credit references. Billie dug up receipted tax bills of former years; he loaned the government the deed to his land and place of business. More assurances followed, that the money

would be here at least by the end of the week."

"Finally, after having exhausted every other conceivable means of delay, the RFC subsidiary comes out with a demand that Mr. Burget take out insurance. This would be at a cost of some \$25 a year to protect an amortized loan of \$200."

"These are emergency loans needed right now," Judge Henderson said, "a drink of water given to a man three weeks dead from thirst doesn't help much."

"The way our government functions is of course very amusing. The pitiful part is that it probably cost the taxpayers over a thousand dollars not to make a \$200 loan. The Disaster Loan corporation representatives were in Barstow for several weeks. They undoubtedly were paid a salary plus expenses. Their cost was more than matched by the clerical and office force in the district office in Riverside; the regional office in Los Angeles and the main office in Washington."

"And as far as is known, not more than one loan has been made in Barstow or the surrounding territory."

Long Bitter Fight Between Carriers Lowers Rates

The State Railroad Commission today has on file formal applications from the Southern Pacific, Pacific Greyhound, Western and Sacramento Northern to put into effect July 1st a flat rate of 1½ cents per mile in territory competitive with the Santa Fe.

The filing of tariffs by all major common carriers closely follows the decision of the Supreme Court of California denying petitions of the Southern Pacific and Pacific Greyhound for a review of the order of the Railroad Commission granting the Santa Fe the right to inaugurate a coordinated and integrated rail-bus service with one rate, interchangeable rail-coach and bus tickets, at the rate of 1½ cents per mile.

The filing of tariffs by the major carriers marks what is apparently the final phase in the two and one-half year fight between the Santa Fe and the Southern Pacific and Greyhound.

LONGEST AND MOST INTRICATE BALLOT IN HISTORY AHEAD FOR CALIFORNIA VOTERS

By RALPH H. TAYLOR
(Executive Secretary, Agricultural Council of California)

(Editor's Note: This is the first in a series of three articles dealing with recommendations of the Council of California on ballot measures which have been proposed for submission to the people at the November election. The Council is the legislative body of California's major farm cooperatives, with more than 70,000 farmer members.)

WHEN California voters march to the polls, some 3,000,000 strong, at the November general election, they will be confronted with the longest ballot and one of the most intricate in the state's history.

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California, at its annual meeting in San Francisco, took action on six of the proposed ballot measures—recommending a "Yes" vote on one proposal and a "No" on five others. The Council's recommendations, with a brief outline of the acts considered, are submitted herewith. (Two major proposals acted upon will be discussed more fully in succeeding articles of this series.)

APPROVED

Initiative Act (petitions are now in circulation) to curb labor disorders; bans "quickie" strikes and sit-downs, prohibits coercion and intimidation on the part of either employees or employers; restricts picketing and prohibits "hot cargo" boycotts. Also prohibits interference with lawful use of streets, highways, docks and wharfs. California agriculture has suffered tremendous losses due to strikes and other labor disturbances and the Council gave its approval to this act as a step toward industrial peace.

DISAPPROVED

"Single-Tax"—Sales Tax Repeal Act, which would repeal the retail sales tax, use tax, motor vehicle tax and private car tax, which now yield \$104,000,000 a year, or 60 per cent of the State's general fund revenues. The proposal is designed to shift the burden to common property taxpayers by levying taxes on real property alone, abolishing taxes on personal property and improvements. It also abolishes the present limitation on a State ad valorem tax on property. This measure is still short several thousand signatures to qualify for the ballot and all farmers and other common property taxpayers should heed the admonition: "Read before you sign!"

Garrison Revenue Bond Act, authorizing the creation of public utilities commissions and the issuance of revenue bonds by various governmental units for public utilities. The most dangerous provision of this extremely involved proposal is the reduction of the vote required to establish a public utility district, or to vote bonds, from two-thirds to a bare majority, while requiring a two-thirds vote for withdrawal from such a project. The Council disapproves of this act because it makes it easier to get into debt and harder to get out and because it considers the measure just as dangerous to sound public ownership projects as to private enterprises.

Human Dog Pound Act, which ostensibly provides for humane treatment of animals in pounds, but which is actually designed to prevent the use of animals by research institutions, including colleges.

Homestead Tax Exemption of \$3500 where the owner is the resident occupant. The Council believes that it is desirable to encourage home ownership (the

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Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

WE READ a lot these days about "escape"—escape from what most of the professors who talk about it call "reality." And what is this "reality" of theirs? Well tell you: Ham and eggs; the price of gas; Republicans and Democrats. The same sort of pseudo-Reality that the so-called Realists in the Arts bowed down to and worshipped for so many dreary years. All that was ugly; everything that had an unpleasant smell; whatsoever was cruel, uncouth, discouraging, ironical, selfish, pitiful, mean, ugly, doomed to decay—such was the "reality" (pseudo) of the so-called Realists—in painting

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Picking the winner of a prize fight—boxing contest, if you insist—at a distance of 3,000 miles from ringside or the training camp of the principals, is little more than a guess, and Sierra Madreans are pretty good guessers, a news reporter learned last week.

Twenty minutes before Joe Louis and Max Schmeling climbed into the ring at the Yankee stadium at New York, a reporter dashed around to interview as many well-known Sierra Madreans as possible before the gong sounded—not to find out who they were betting on, but who

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they would lay their money on if they were betting."

Six liked Louis best; 4 picked Schmeling; one hedged.

The writer is not so sure that the judgment of some of the six was not largely influenced by prejudice against Hitler and his methods, and the form of government he has inaugurated in Germany.

Colonel H. B. Hersey left no doubt of this. He wanted to see Louis win, he frankly admitted, because he didn't want Hitler to annex the world's boxing championship nor to see Mr. Schmeling lug off almost half a million dollars to be added to the Hitler assets. Several others who "liked" Louis did not so frankly admit the basis of their belief and desire, but it was unmistakably there.

"If I were betting, my money would go on Louis," said Mayor Schiltz.

"I like Louis all the way," said Frank Lovell.

"Nothing to it but Louis," said P. R. Penn.

"Schmeling hasn't a chance with Louis," said Thorne Mathis of the Shell Service Station.

"Schmeling won't last three rounds with Louis," said Leo Mandel of Happy's Liquor Store.

"I pick Louis to win," said Harold Roberts.

Emile Smith, R. R. Hartman, J. Milton Steinberger and Pete Woodson Jones was as far off in his guess as the other Schmeling adherents. "It's a toss-up," said Jones.

Miss Catherine McBurney, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. R. McBurney of 646 West Sierra Madre Blvd., will vacation at Catalina Island over the weekend and Independence Day.

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James A. Taylor, manager of the store and head of the family, which consists of Mrs. Taylor and two sons, has been in the grocery business since he was 16 years old.

Taylors have leased the bakery department to Van de Kamp's, and the fruit and vegetable market has also been leased, but the grocery and meat departments are in the hands of the Taylors.

The most modern refrigeration and equipment available has been secured for the new market, which is just west of Sierra Madre.

KENTUCKY MOONSHINE' AT ARCADIA THEATRE

"Kentucky Moonshine," a hilarious comedy with Tony Martin and Marjorie Weaver, will be shown at the Arcadia Theater today and Saturday, together with "Beloved Brat," with Bonita Granville. Beginning Sunday and continuing through Tuesday, "Sky Devils" with Spencer Tracy and Ann Dvorak; also "Gun Law" with George O'Brien, are the Arcadia attractions.

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Bullfights To Lure Southlanders To Tijuana

Tijuana has a new attraction that will lure thousands of Southern Californian hunting something new and exciting over the Independence Day holiday. Its gambling casino expropriated by the Mexican government and its race track closed, a huge stadium with an enormous bullring will be opened Sunday.

Leo Carillo and more than a hundred other Hollywood luminaries will blaze the trail to the new arena where Carillo will act as master of ceremonies at a fiesta and sports cavalcade to be held Sunday and Monday.

Bull fights will headline the program each day, with the three greatest bull fighters in all Latin America, Fermín "Armillita" Espinosa, Alberto Balderas and Chucho Solorzano taking part in the spectacle.

The stadium has a seating capacity of 20,000 and is built in a perfect circle.

A. L. A. Activities

POST members and their families were entertained royally at the joint meeting last Thursday in the Dug-Out, at which Commander Sam Graham and President Florence Jensen presided.

Comrade Jack Mitchell was very gallant in his acknowledgement of the gift from the unit last year when he was in San Fernando Hospital and told how very welcome visiting friends are when one is taking treatment and lonesome for home. Mrs. Mitchell was present with her usual charming smile.

A program consisting of talks on France, its customs and French methods of reducing were given by the men who served in France. According to William Schwartz it rained 25 days out of every month while he was there. Augusta Coats told of the Apache, following which Nancy Welch and Harry Lovejoy gave their interpretation of the Apache dance. Grace Jensen gave a dance number also.

Lloyd Welch was awarded the lovely cake baked by Katherine Miller. Collin Hill was awarded the lamp.

The 1936-37 Unit presidents of the 18th district held a picnic in San Dimas Park Wednesday which Edna Heartt and H. Lovejoy attended.

All members are urged to attend the next unit meeting—July 14—and assist in nominating officers for next year.

Helen Lovejoy.

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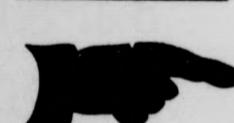
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Libby PEAS No. 2 Can 09¢ Red Circle APRICOTS, Can 10¢

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Snow Flake 1 lb. pkg. 14¢ Peter Pan Crackers 2 lb. Pkg. 25¢ Salmon No. 1 Can 10¢

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We are pleased to welcome our many friends in the up-and-coming residential district served by this new and progressive food emporium. The variety and fine quality of baked goods, candies and ice cream which have won such wide support will be available at this newest Van de Kamp location, which is being opened in conformity with our slogan, "TO SERVE YOU BETTER."

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White Rose POTATOES No. 10 lbs. 10¢

Large Juicy ORANGES 4 doz. 15¢ Boysen BERRIES basket 4¢

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BACON, Sliced 1/2 lb. pkgs. 15c

COTTAGE CHEESE 2 lbs. 13c

LEGS of LAMB 1 lb. 25c

Wieners, Liver Sausage Kosher Salami, Bologna 13¢ lb.

Potato and Macaroni SALAD 1 lb. 10c

'Round the town—

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Mescar enjoyed a pleasant trip to Huntington Beach and Long Beach last Sunday with friends, Mrs. B. H. Cedergreen and Mr. and Mrs. Russel Poe.

Marie Schiltz and Sarah Perry are spending the week at Seal Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Burbank of 42 East Carter Avenue will leave this morning for their home at Laguna Beach, where they will stay during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Robertson of 271 North Adams street were dinner guests of friends in Los Angeles last Monday night.

Dorothy Hawley of New York City and Dot Dewey of this city, daughter and daughter-in-law of the A. J. Deweys will be house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller of Manhattan Beach over the Fourth of July holiday. Mr. and Mrs. Miller are former residents of Sierra Madre and have many friends here.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Scions of 214 West Carter avenue have as their house guest for the weekend Miss Alphonse Clapp of San Francisco. Dr. and Mrs. Donelon of the eastern seaboard, mother and father of Mrs. Scions, are also visiting with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sandage will leave Saturday morning for their ranch at Vista, California, and spend the Fourth of July with friends at Oceanside.

Pat West, local Sierra Madrean who is under contract to Warner Brothers Studio will serve as M. C. for a midnight benefit performance for the Police Pension Fund of Inglewood tonight. Jack

Baker Acquitted On Morals Charge; Is Held For Gas Theft

Robert Bryant Baker, Sierra Madre youth charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, was acquitted in department 44 of the Superior court in Los Angeles Tuesday shortly after the jury left Judge Crum's court room. In a previous trial the jury disagreed. He was represented at both trials by Attorney Marcus A. Woodward of this city.

Baker was found guilty of theft of gasoline from a city tractor in Judge Russell Morton's Pasadena justice court, where it was testified he was asleep in the automobile near the city pumping plant when another youth siphoned gas from the tractor's tank. Seventy-five days of a 90-day jail sentence were suspended. An appeal was taken from the conviction.

GIRL SCOUTS HAVE MERRY TIME AT CHERRY BEACH

Sierra Madre Girl Scouts held a swimming party at Cherry Beach June 18. Transportation was provided by Mrs. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Terwilliger, and Mrs. Parmenter. Among Scouts attending were Beatrice Emery and her sister Mary Kathleen Juanita Thompson, Dorothy Parmenter, Ruth Coit and Wilma Lacey, all of whom are members of the local council.

Benny, Joe Brown, Lee Carrillo, Barbara Stanwyck and Robert Taylor are among the performers. The Sierra Madre Hardware store is getting along without W. S. Hull this week. Mr. Hull decided he needed a rest last Tuesday and left for Arrow Bear. He will return Saturday.

The American Red Cross office will close at 3 p. m. during the month of July and August.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Condie of North Alameda, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones of Garden Grove were Wednesday visitors at the home of Mrs. C. E. Trimble, 655 Mariposa. On Thursday Mrs. Trimble was host to her daughter, Mrs. F. A. Collett, and granddaughter, Myra, of Altadena.

Norman Jensen, Jr., left Monday morning to spend five days at the 4-H club camp at Camp Radford in the San Bernardino mountains.

Lorne Pratt and Gordon Blanke spent the weekend at the Huntington Beach camp in company with 16 boys from Pasadena.

About 18 Sierra Madreans attended the weekend party of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Swartz at Mr. Schwartz's father's cabin at Balboa.

Miss Edith Rankin will celebrate the Fourth at Santa Monica and Malibu Beach. She plans to leave Saturday noon and return Monday evening.

Westwood Village and Malibu Beach were visited by Dr. William Whelan, his sisters, Miss Isabel Whelan and Mrs. Cole, and Miss Edith Rankin, Saturday afternoon. The beach never looked more lovely, Miss Rankin said.

Miss Louise Judson, local American Red Cross executive, spent this week at Cape Cod and will tour all the New England states before returning to Sierra Madre, according to letters received here by local friends yesterday.

Mrs. Nettie Cosper, 52 West Sierra Madre Blvd., will leave Saturday to spend the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Sheldon Balinger in Beverly Hills.

Poor Hitting Loses For Merchants

Local Ball Team Drops First Valley League Game To South Pasadenas

Sierra Madre's Merchants baseball team dropped its first game of the year to the Wallace team of South Pasadena on the school athletic field Tuesday evening by a score of 10 to 4.

South Pasadena's hurler was a good deal of an enigma to the locals who managed to connect safely only four times. Bus LaLone and Burt were the only other Merchants credited with hits, while the South Pasadenas touched Ed LaLone up for 10 safeties, all but one of the visitors hitting safely. The score follows:

| Merchants | R | H | E |
|---------------|---|---|---|
| Young, 2b | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| R. LaLone, cf | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Brain, c | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| W. Evans, 3b | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| E. LaLone, lf | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lorenzini, 1b | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Burt, rf | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| E. LaLone, p | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lacey, ss | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| | 5 | 4 | 5 |

| S. Pasadena | R | H | E |
|-------------|---|----|---|
| Cole | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Mistorly | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Tomorlin | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Wahale | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Van Essen | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Cauk | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Cristil | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Guthan | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Gver | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| | 9 | 10 | 2 |

Home runs, Cole, Caulk, Gver, R. LaLone. 3 base hits, Brain. 2 base hits, Cristill. Bases on balls, S. Pasadena 4, Sierra Madre 4. Struck out by E. LaLone 5, Joe Kiggins 7, Gver 8, Roya 3. Umpires, Evans, Wes Perry and Wood.

ARTHUR GOULD ENTERS BUSINESS IN ARCADIA

Arthur Gould of Sierra Madre, a former salesman with Carl Hansen, Ford dealer, recently purchased the Menshop, 44½ E. Huntington drive, Arcadia. Mr. Gould will continue to live in Sierra Madre. His shop has been completely restocked with new merchandise and he will carry a complete line of men's furnishings.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO TELL CAMP EXPERIENCES

The last Sunday meeting of the Congregational Young People's Society will be held in the ladies' parlors on Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. Miss Carole Coumbe, president, will preside. The topic will be "Hilltop Experiences," and will be discussed by delegates who attended the young people's camp. They are Miss Coumbe, Genelle Paschall and Claude Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Miller, son and daughter Howard and Caroline, will leave this week for Balboa Beach where they have taken a cottage for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Neal of Palm Springs will be their house guests for the Fourth of July holiday and remainder of next week.

The planning commission will meet again Monday evening, July 11.

Amend Zoning Plan To Extend City's Business Area

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Club, renewed their objections. But objections to restriction of the downtown business area were not the only ones heard. Under the impression that all of his property in Sturtevant Drive in Canyon Park had always been zoned for business, Fire Chief W. D. Richards demanded to know why it was proposed to change the classification from business to single residence zone. Investigation of the old zoning map, however, showed that part of his holdings had been included in the single residence area. Steve Petzel protested the zoning of any part of his property on Woodland Road between Sturtevant Drive and the swimming pool as residential contending it should be classified for business purposes.

St. Rita's defeated the Legion 10 to 5 while the Veterans slugged out a 10 to 4 victory over the Congos.

The Legion team showed much more strength in its opening contest with St. Rita's than at any time last year. Neither team made more than 4 hits, while the Legion was guilty of 3 errors. The score follows:

| Legion | AB | R | H | E |
|----------------|----|---|---|---|
| Carlos, rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Grady, 3b | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| LaLone, ss | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Campbell, c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Uriate, cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Osti, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| O'Grady, 1b | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| McClelland, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

No action was taken on these objections at the executive session of the planning commission following the hearing, excepting those affecting West Sierra Madre Boulevard classification. The objectors will undoubtedly carry their objections to the Council meeting on July 12 when the Council will either adopt the planning commission's master plan as now twice amended or send it back to the Commission as it did at its last meeting. The Council is without authority to make amendments on its own account. The plan itself must be the creature of the planners.

Kenneth Sampson, planning expert of the Los Angeles county regional planning commission, was asked to find a solution for a rather perplexing situation with respect to eight or ten small lots extending from West Alegría avenue to Olive between Auburn and Baldwin avenues. The lots in question have a frontage of 60 feet on both Olive and Alegría and extend 150 feet through the block. The planning commission wants to devise a plan that will require all the houses built in this block to face in one direction so that the back yard of one house will not be beside the front yard of the adjoining house. One fine home in the block faces to the north and members of the Commission seemed of the opinion that all others to be constructed hereafter should face in the same direction and with a corresponding set back line.

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FINE FILMS COMING TO WASHINGTON THEATRE

A Shirley Temple picture, "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" comes to the Washington Theatre, Washington and Lake, Pasadena, today and Saturday, together with Lewis Stone and Mickey Rooney in "Judge Hardy's Children." Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, with a continuous performance from 2 p. m. on the Fourth, will bring Irene Dunne and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., in "Joy of Living." Mr. Moto's "Gamble," with Peter Lorre, will also be shown.

Miss Lucy L. Spalding, 2148 Spalding Street, Altadena, was awarded, Thursday night, the 7-day vacation trip to Stillwell's resort at Big Bear Lake. The Washington will award one such vacation each Thursday.

NEIGHBORLY COMMUNITY SOUGHT

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the advisability of special sales features preceding the Christmas holidays were also suggested.

Thomas Meader of the Chamber of Commerce transportation committee told of the improvement in P. E. passenger service through introduction of a new type of car to and from Los Angeles during the rush hours.

Councilman Paul Carter assured his hearers that at all times the welfare of the community was behind any action taken by the city council. John S. Billheimer stressed the importance of good fellowship and cooperation in the community.

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Alber's Corn Flakes 5c

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Salad Dressing 27c

Duchess Print 17c; quart 27c

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Lunch Box, Pt. Jar 23c; quart 39c

Tomato Juice 5c

Stokely's. 14-ounce can

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Camay Soap 2 bars 11c

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